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PALESTINE OBSERVES HARTAL TO-DAY

ARAB WORLD OUTRAGED AT LEBANON ARRESTS

Egypt Lodges Protest Against French Action And Pledges Solidarity With Lebanese People In Hours Of Trial

JERUSALEM, Nov. 12

The all Palestine conference of Arab Chambers of Commerce has decided on a general stoppage of activity throughout the country tomorrow afternoon. Transport and Government services will not be affected. The stoppage is a protest against the action of the French authorities in the Lebanon.

EGYPT PROTESTS

CAIRO: Nahas Pasha in his telegram to General de Gaulle protested in the name of the Egyptian Government and Egyptian people against the measures taken against the Lebanese statesmen.

"Egypt and all Arab peoples justly outraged are surprised that such action should have been taken by the representatives of France which has been loved as a haven of freedom", he said. "Violation by any power of the sacred dogma which the United Nations swore to respect can be regarded as an object for universal disapproval. If the Lebanese situation is not re-established as it logically sohuld be, Egypt may be compelled to consider her position vis-a-vis France in the light of events."

LETTER TO BRITISH MINISTER

Nahas Pasha also wrote to the British Minister to Egypt, Mr. Terence Shone, expressing the conviction "that Great Britain who with her army helped the Fighting French and who at the same time as her ally guaranteed the independence of the Lebanon, would use its influence to put an end to this most serious crisis. I hope that, thanks to her efforts, Britain will be able to re-establish normal situation and that the Lebanon will have freedom to exercise her liberty and independence." he said

In a letter to the United States Minister, Mr. Alexander Kirk, he said: "I am convinced that the great power which is fighting for noblest principles will strive to secure respect for the great Atlantic Charter to which the Committee has adhered. French violation of Lebanese independence is an act which cannot fail to raise general condemnation and will find a painful echo in the United States."

Nahas Pasha's Letter

In his letter to Baron Benoist, Nahas Pasha said that General Catroux had given him to understand that he was determined to find a reasonable and just solution of various Lebanese problems.

"Unfortunately the good intentions have not been carried out by the French authorities", the letter added.

"I would like to draw your attention to the fact that the Lebanese elections, contrary to what I had been promised, were marked by incidents which compromised their impartiality and the fact that independence was admitted by representatives of fighting France and representatives of Great Britain constitutes legal reality of a political and international character.

The independence of Lebanon like that of Syria is then an accomplished fact which no rule of law could question.

Thus the action of the French authorities in declaring in advance that they have not recognised the validity of the amendment to the constitution without their assent is considered by the Lebanese people as an attempt on their dignity, liberty and independence.

In my opinion the French mandate no longer exists since the French and British Government have recognised the independence of Syria and Lebanon.

They admitted that the League of Nations was no longer working and neither Syria nor Lebanon could wait for the resurrection of the League under its original ford to have a French decision approved."

KING FAROUK INTERVENES

King Farouk has personally intervened in the Lebanese crisis following the protest to General de Gaulle by Nahas Pasha, the Egyptian Premier. He summoned Mr. Terence Shone, the British Acting Ambassador in Cairo, and Mr. Alexander Kirk, the United States Minister, to the palace last night to discuss the latest developments.

The King also sent a telegram to Sheikh Bechara el Khoury, the arrested Lebanese President, expressing his regret at not being able to send a delegation to him and assuring him that the Lebanon can always count on the friendship of the Egyptian King, Government and people in her hours of trial.

LEBANESE COMMITTEE IN CAIRO

King Farouk's cable also congratulated the President in his recent election and for the confidence he has inspired in the Lebanese people. King Farouk had intended to send an official mission to the Lebanese President on Saturday.

A Frenchman has been appointed to assist Emile Edde, the new Head of the Lebanese State appointed yesterday by the French Committee of National Liberation in Algiers, it is learned here.

A committee of fifteen prominent Lebanese was formed here (Cairo) last night to take charge of Lebanese interests. A delegation will call on the King and the Premier to-morrow to thank them for the interest they have taken in the crisis. They will also call on the British Embassy and the American Legation to protest against the French action.

Earlier:

CAIRO, Nov 12.

According to Lebanese circles here, serious disturbances have broken out at Beirut and Tripoli in Northern Lebanon. French troops fired on demonstrators, it was said.

Lebanese police refused, to obey orders and French authorities called on their own Senegalese troops to restore order.

The same sources report that demonstrations of sympathy for the Lebanon have also taken place at Damascus, Capital of the sister Republic of Syria.

ALL CABINET MINISTERS BUT ONE ARRESTED

BEIRUT: With one exception all Lebanon Cabinet Ministers have now been arrested and removed to an unknown destination following earlier arrests of the Premier and two other Ministers and the Lebanese President.

Traffic in Beirut is at a standstill and large crowds have gathered in the principal square, Place Des Canons.

It is reliably learned in Cairo that all the 48 deputies who voted for an amendment of the Lebanese constitution have been arrested.

Other arrests among the population were made by French troops in Beirut this morning. Very serious rioting is reported to have broken out in all the principal towns of the country as well as in villages in mountains.

SERIOUS TURN IN LEBANON

British Parliament Debates Situation: Govt. Unable To Make Any Statement

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Reuter's diplomatic correspondent says: 'The situation in the Lebanon has taken a serious turn and the French authorities have reacted vigorously, according to cables from Beirut and Cairo

So far no announcement has been forthcoming from the French National Committee at Algiers, nor has the British Government received information about to-day's developments from the Minister to Syria and the Lebanon, Major-General Sir Edward Spears.

Pending official enlightenment, it can only be presumed that the French National Committee consider that the attitude of the Lebanese Government and Parliament in flouting the Committee's authority on the constitutional question has created a dangerous internal situation calling for action by the Mandatory Power which, under terms of the Mandate, is responsible for the maintenance of law and order.

MINISTER'S PROTEST

The British Government stands firmly by the promise of independence for the Lebanon given when the Allies entered Syria, according to a statement issued in official quarters in London to-day regarding the disorder there. The statement reads: "The action taken in the Lebanon by French authorities early yesterday morning was without any consultation with or notification to British authorities.

Yesterday the British Minister in Beirut, Sir Edward Spears, addressed to the Delegate General of the French National Committee a protest regarding the action taken and regarding the failure to consult with him on the subject. Instructions have now been sent to the British Minister Resident in Algiers, Mr. MacMillan, to take up the matter with the French National Committee.

The situation in the Lebanon was unexpectedly debated in the House of Commons to-night when Mr. William Astor (Conservative Member) drew attention to the report that the French authorities in the Lebanon had sent Senegalese troops to break in and arrest the newly elected President of the Lebanon and place the members of the newly elected Government under arrest. He said that Great Britain had a very direct and important interest in the matter and recalled how British troops fought in Syria and the Lebanon and how proclamations were made that these countries were to be independent.

This was reinforced, he said, by a solemn declaration in the House of Commons that after an interval when things had settled down and the danger of war had gone, the Free French authorities would abolish the Mandate, although technically that could not be made valid by International Law until a Treaty was drawn up.

He wished it to go forth to the world that the British Parliament felt their honour was involved as guarantors of the independence of this small country. He appealed to the French authorities to realise what a sad effect it would have all over the world if their action was persisted in.

He hoped that the French National Committee would rapidly reverse what had taken place and would allow the people that progressive legislative development which they wanted themselves.

Mr. George Muff (Labour Member) said that the House expected responsible leaders of French public opinion to honour the pledges which had been given only a few short months ago.

Mr. Quinton Hogg (Conservative Member) said that the good faith of the French Committee was in question and judgment must be suspended until the facts were known.

PREMIER'S RESERVATION

Mr. Aneurin Bevan (Labour Member) said that when the Prime Minister made his statement about the freedom of Syria and the Lebanon he added the qualification that, although Britain was deeply interested in this matter, the French nation had special historical and cultural connections with these territories which made France a peculiar guarantor of their freedom and independence.

It was undesirable for members of the House to import into this matter such heat and utter such innuendoes against the Free French Movement until there were further opportunities for investigation.

Mr. Richard Stokes (Labour) supported Mr. Bevan and said that they should proceed with caution until the whole situation was known.

Mr. George Hall, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said: "There has been sufficient information received to show that a situation of some gravity has arisen in the Lebanon, but in the absence of fuller information the British Government were not in a position to make any statement at the present. I think the matter should be left there."—

Churchill's Declared Policy

Reuter's special correspondent at Algiers cables. The Lebanon crisis arises from a clash between the Lebanese demand for independence and the attitude of the French military administration

Troubles have come to a head as the result of the new constitution proposed by the Lebanese Parliament being vetoed by the French High Commissioner M. Jean Helleu.

It is pointed out here that Mr. Churchill had already declared that French interests in Syria and the Lebanon must remain predominant, a view which clashes with the native's policy.

The crisis will be handled under the jurisdiction of General Catroux as General de Gaulle's Minister of State responsible for Moslem affairs.

It is expected that firm measures will be taken to maintain order.—Reuter.

Independence Day Echo

Congress Flag Case Accused Wins Appeal

LAHORE, Nov. 12

Accepting the recommendation of the Sessions Judge, Mr. Justice Meharchand Mahajan of the Lahore High Court set aside the conviction of Devi Das, a shop assistant of Multan, who had been sentenced to a fine of Rs. 25 for purchasing a Congress flag on the occasion of the last 'Independence Day'.

The trial magistrate had held that by purchasing the Congress Flag, the accused had contributed to the fund of an unlawful association.

When the accused appealed to the Sessions Judge, the latter recommended to the High Court that it was a fit case in which conviction should be set aside.—A. P.

ALLEGED ABSCONDER ARRESTED

GORAKHPUR, Nov. 11.

Mr. Devendra Pratap Singh, a Vakil and member of the Congress Socialist party, who had been absconding is reported to have been arrested somewhere in Gonda District.

A reward of Rs 75 was announced for his arrest.

3,353 POLITICALS IN BIHAR JAILS

PATNA, November 12.

It is learnt that since the beginning of 1943 the Bihar Government have released prematurely about 1,500 prisoners including those undergoing imprisonment for one year or less. Political prisoners still in jail till October total 3,353.—United Press.

Re-Arrested By Police

JALGAON, Nov. 11.

It is learned that six out of the eleven accused who were yesterday acquitted by the Jalgaon Sessions Judge in the Peshawar Express Derailment Case have been re-arrested by the police.—A. P.

No Changes In India Office Now

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Mr. Churchill has decided to make no change for the present at the India Office. The reconstructed Government will meet Parliament at the coming new session.

Following Cabinet changes are officially announced:

Mr. John Jestyn Llewellin becomes Food Minister in succession to Lord Woolton who is appointed Minister of Reconstruction.

Mr. Henry Urmston Willink is appointed Minister of Health succeeding Mr. Ernest Brown who becomes Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster.

Mr. Ben Smith is appointed Minister—Resident in Washington for Supply.

Mr. Alan Tindal Lennoxboyd is appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Aircraft Production.

Lord Woolton will be a War Cabinet Minister.

Mr. Duff Cooper resigns the Chancellorship of the Duchy of Lancaster and will shortly receive an appointment abroad.

Minister without portfolio, Sir William Jowitt, will assist Lord Woolton.

(Left) "Happy" by Mr. G. S. Haldankar and (Right) "Rhythm" by Mr. V. A. Mali—two exhibits in the Art Society of India's Silver Jubilee Fine Art Exhibition which was opened at the Cama Oriental Institute Hall on Friday.

Demand For Inquiry Into Food Bungle

M.L.A. Pleads For Jail Delivery For Joint Crusade Against Famine

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12

Initiating the debate in the Assembly on the food situation, Sir J. P. Srivastava, Food Member, said that as against the Bengal Governor's estimate of Bengal's requirements for the three months, October to December, of 250,000 tons, 82,000 tons were sent during October. "We hope", he said, "that our arrangements will secure that the figure given by the Governor will be substantially exceeded."

He said that the daily average rate of arrival of food grains and pulses into Calcutta during the period, June to October was over 3,300 tons per day, as against a daily average of 1,600 tons for the corresponding period last year. In addition to the amounts which the Provincial Government were now sending out to the districts, they had a month's reserve of food grains for Calcutta itself.

Bose Has No Following, Says Ranganadhan

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Speaking at the Royal Empire Society, London, Sir Samuel Ranganadhan, High Commissioner for India, reminded listeners that when Japan attacked China seven years ago leaders of all political parties in India expressed their abhorrence of Japanese aggression. As for Mr. Subhas Bose, Sir Samuel said: 'Mr. Bose never had any large following when he was in India and he has certainly no following at all now."

As regards the distribution to districts, despatches had during the last month risen from a few hundred tons to a thousand tons a day, in addition to the arrangements which had been made to send from the Punjab direct to the districts a large quantity of wheat products. Arrangements were now in progress to double this figure.

"I mention these figures with no sense of complacency. So long as there is anywhere in India a surplus which might have been procured and sent to a deficit area but has not been procured and sent, I cannot rest content. But I think that acknowledgment is due to those who have made what has been achieved possible."

Referring to imports, the Food Member said his latest information was that 41,000 tons of food grains had already arrived, and far greater quantities were on the way. He acknowledged the generous offers of assistance received from the Commonwealth, from Australia, from Canada, South Africa and New Zealand. He thanked the C.-in-C. for the help given in the task of distribution.

The galleries were crowded in anticipation of the food debate. Sir Nazimuddin, Bengal Premier, was an interested listener from the Official galleries, while Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, Sind Premier, watched from the Distinguished Visitors' Gallery.

Mr. Jinnah came into the House amid cheers from members of the Moslem League Party. About ten members of the Congress Party, were present including one or two new arrivals. As a prelude to the Food Debate, there was a brief discussion on the Food Member's motion to elect three members from the House to the Standing Committee on Food. Increased representation of the House on the Committee was urged by Mr. Essak Sait, Sir Frederick James, Mr. Hussainbhai Lalji, Mr. N. M. Joshi, Mr. E. C. Gwilt, Sir Cowasji Jehangir and Mr. Azharali. The Food Member agreed to fix the number as ten.

The motion was passed with the amendment, increasing the number from three to ten members.

AMENDMENTS

Three amendments were moved after the Food Member's speech moving that the food situation be taken into consideration. One moved by Mr. Abdur Rashid Chaudhury (unattached) asked for a committee of enquiry of the Central Legislature with an elected majority to report on the situation, the second by Sir Mohammad Yamin Khan (Muslim League) urging the appointment of a Royal Commission and the third by Mr. Neogy recommending the appointment of a committee consisting of eminent economists, judges and administrators and an Accountant-General under the Chairmanship of a lawyer who has held high judicial office to enquire into a number of points relating to the continued prevalence of famine conditions.

Mr. Chaudhury declared that the blame for Bengal's distress lay with the bureaucracy. He deplored the apathy of the British public and referred to the fact that only 35 members were present in Parliament when the food debate was held. Bengal, he pointed out, had received more food grains than she demanded, and he wanted to know what happened to those grains.

Moving the Muslim League amendment Sir Mohammad Yamin Khan bitterly criticised the Government's policy, which he said, had brought things to such a pass.

Khan Bahadur G. K. M. Shaban urged on the Governor-General to release political detenus temporarily, in order to allow them to pull their weight in the present crisis. As the future did not appear to be rosy, he wanted an immediate full planning to make the country self-sufficient.

Mr. C. P. Lawson (European Group) demanded an enquiry to be conducted by "some non-political and unbiased body." The main intention of the European Group in supporting the demand was to secure data for the future. Emphasising the absence of consumer goods as a factor preventing the free flow of food grains, he thought while many ship loads of wheat from Australia or Canada might be urgently needed, one tanker of kerosine oil might result in the release of many shiploads of wheat from the hands of stockists in this country. A shipload of bycycles might be worth many cargoes of grain. Concluding, he appealed to all to help in carrying out the general policy indicated by the Foodgrains Policy Committee.

Mr. Azhar Ali emphatically repudiated the charge that villagers were hoarding foodgrains to an undue extent.

Mr. Shamlal (Congress) explained that the Party's decision to keep away from the Assembly was not for all time, and that the subject of food was one on which the Party ought to make its voice heard. The food crisis, he declared, was the result of the deep-rooted disease of maladministration, particularly the Government's currency policy, and heavy purchases for military purposes. He urged that these causes should be dealt with, if from no other motive, at least in order that the morale of India's fighting men might not be affected by reports of the sufferings of their people at home.

He had not concluded, when the House adjourned till to-morrow.

Central Excise Duties Bill

A bill to consolidate all the laws relating to Central Excise Duties and the Salt-Tax and to embody a schedule setting forth the rates of duty leviable on each class of goods was introduced in the Assembly to-day by the Finance Member.

In reply to Sir Cowasji Jehangir, the Finance Member said his intention was that the bill should be referred to a Select Committee which would report by the next session.—A. P.

54 DEATHS ON THURSDAY

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

Fifty-four sick destitutes died in various hospitals in Calcutta and suburbs yesterday and there were 93 new admissions.

Seventy-seven such persons were discharged during the day.—A. P.

Rationing In Calcutta

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

Rationing is expected to be introduced in Calcutta by the middle of the next month.

The quota proposed to be fixed for one adult unit per day is one lb. of rice or wheat or both combined, as suggested by the Gregory Committee.

A large number of shops including the existing Government stores will distribute the ration.—A. P.

STOP PRESS

Roatta Removed

ALGIERS, Nov. 12: General Mario Roatta has been removed from the post as Chief of Staff of the Italian Army, it is officially announced.—Reuter.

ART SOCIETY OF INDIA

Kania Opens Silver Jubilee Exhibition

Mr. Justice Kania performed on Friday, the opening ceremony of the Silver Jubilee Fine Art Exhibition of the Art Society of India at the Cama Oriental Institute.

Mr. H. N. Dallas, Chairman of the Society in his preliminary remarks said that art received encouragement in the past from Princes and potentate. To-day it depended on the general public for its existence.

Mr. R. M. Raval, President of the Society, hoped that the efforts of the artists would receive the support of the State and the public, as in advanced countries.

Mr. Justice Kania said that it was given to few people in the struggling, sordid world to realise beauty and express it skilfully in a visible form.

As the recognition of artistic values presupposed a certain amount of culture, he suggested, that from primary schools upward, students should be given the rudiments of the fine arts.

At one time art was the very foundation of life in India. That was long ago and due to the neglect of the State and other factors, it was not so to-day.

He was also glad that the prize picture of the exhibition was voted by the artists themselves.

He presented on behalf of the exhibition a trophy and Rs. 300 to G. S. Haldankar for the best picture in the exhibition.

Nearly 400 exhibits, inclusive of a few sculptures were put up.

City journalists were entertained to a tea party by the members of the Exhibition Committee of the Art Society of India on Thursday evening, after which the journalists had a pre-view of the Society's Exhibition to be held at the Cama Oriental Institute Hall, Bombay.

There are more than 400 exhibits on display and about 50 artistes have participated. Among the exhibitors are Mr. Haldankar Mrs Coomi Dallas, Mr. Mali Mr. Binde and Mr. R. M. Raval

The main trophy worth Rs. 300 has been awarded to Mr. Haldankar and the students' prize to Mr. Mahajan.

Meherally Maintains Progress

BOMBAY, Friday.

Yusuf Meherally had a comfortable day to-day, and on the whole there is improvement in his condition.

Dr. Mahomedali Mistri is treating Mr. Meherally and not Dr. Sumatilal Mehta as was reported yesterday.

Cutchi Parishad Pray For Meherally

(From Our Correspondent.)

BHUJ, Nov. 11.

Under the auspices of the Cutchi Prajakiya Parishad a mass prayer was held under the Presidentship of the Nagarsheth for early recovery of Mr Yusuff Meherally, President of the Parishad and wishing him long life. Shri Gulabshanker Amritlal, acting president conducted the prayer.

Editors' Chief For Bombay

NEW DELHI, Nov 12.

Mr. K. Srinivasan, President of the All-India Newspaper Editors' Conference, left for Bombay to-day.

Mr. K. M. Munshi also left by the same train.—United Press.

IRISH MOVE TO HELP INDIA

Estimate For £200,000 Introduced In Dail

DUBLIN, Nov. 12.

An estimate for £2,00,000 was introduced in the Dail to-day for alleviation of distress due to war and famine in Europe and India.

It is proposed that half be given by grant-in-aid to the Irish Red Cross Society and the other half by advance to the Society repayable as the Minister for Finance may decide.

The Prime Minister, Mr. de Valera announced that he had received a telegram from the Mayor of Calcutta telling of conditions in Bengal and asking for substantial help.—Reuter.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON (MARCH)

NEW YORK, Nov 12.

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Enemy Attempt To Raid Madras Foiled

MADRAS, Nov. 12.

A enemy's attempt to rid Madras a second time last night in the manner he did just a month ago proved a total failure.

The sirens blew but those who woke up could scarcely seen anything in the clear moonlight sky, and many returned to bed without waiting for the "all-clear."

COLOMBO, Nov. 12: Early this morning, enemy reconnaissance aircraft approached Ceylon and the Madras area. One plane was destroyed and another damaged. No bombs were dropped.

NAZI LANDING IN LEROS

CAIRO, Nov. 12.

German forces carried out an attack on Leros early this morning, says a 'communique' to-night. At some points the enemy gained a footing and his detachments are being dealt with. At other points, he was repulsed and several landing craft were destroyed or damaged. Italian forces are fighting side by side with the British.—Reuter

State Of Emergency In Milan And Lombardy

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The German radio stated to-day that a state of emergency has again been proclaimed in Milan and the whole of Lombardy owing to "new increase in crime." It adds: "All public establishments except restaurants will be closed until November 21. So strictly are these regulations enforced that travellers arriving in Milan after eight o'clock last night had to spend the night at the railway station, despite bitter cold."

"Reuter" reports from the Swiss Italian frontier said the curfew in Milan was to start at 20.00 because of the murder of a number of German soldiers.—Reuter.

Big Battle For Control Of Air Over Kerch Peninsula

MOSCOW, Nov. 12

Soviet forces are at one point only ten miles north-east of Zhitomir, the key railway junction for German lateral communications between Leningrad and Odessa on the Black Sea coast, states Reuter's Special Correspondent.

General Vatutin's thrust to the west is developing with increased momentum. Russian armoured and motorised forces are reaching the right bank of the Dnieper to enter the battle front in increasing numbers every day.

Fighting on the Kerch Peninsula is now extremely fierce. The Germans have brought in strong reinforcements, including Rumanians. The weather has improved in the past 24 hours The wind is dying down and the sea is becoming more calm. A big battle for the control of the air is going on, but the 'Luftwaffe' is not making any headway. Night fogs are favouring passage of supplies and reinforcements from Taman to the Kerch Peninsula.

Bad Weather Hampers Eighth Army's Progress

ALLIED H. Q. (N. Africa), Nov. 12.

To-day's 'communique' reports that the Fifth Army beat off counter-attacks and gained some ground. Bad weather and demolitions hampered the Eighth Army.

The 'communique' also states that the North-West African Bombers attacked Railway near Cannes.

Part of Monte Commino, a three thousand foot mountain south-west of Mignano, has been captured by General Mark Clark's troops, says Reuter's special correspondent.

All German counter-thrusts on both the fronts were successfully held. Heavy artillery fire was thrown across the Sangro river at the Eighth Army as it pushed on towards the southern bank.

AIR ATTACK ON CRETE

CAIRO, Nov 12: To-day's air 'communique' says: "Our fighters yesterday continued to attack enemy installations, on the island of Crete. Last night, heavy bombers successfully attacked the airfield at Maritza on Rhodes the landing area being well covered by bursts.—Reuter.

U. S. Merchantship Sunk In Indian Ocean

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.

The navy department announced that a medium sized United States merchantship was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in September in the Indian Ocean.

One survivor arrived at Miami Florida.—Reuter.

Charges Framed Against Khanna

NEW DELHI, Nov 12: Mr. Jugal Kishore Khanna, General Secretary of the Delhi Provincial Congress Committee was produced today before Mr. C. H. Disney, Additional District Magistrate, in the jail compound, to stand his trial in two cases under the D.I.R. In one case Mr. Khanna is being charged for disobeying the order of the Chief Commissioner to present himself before the C.I.E. Superintendent and in the second case for writing prejudicial documents.

The case was adjourned till November 22.—A. P.

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MUNICIPAL BY ELECTIONS ON NOV. 16

Congress Candidates Must Be Returned: Prof. P. A. Wadia's Appeal

Prof. P. A. Wadia the President of the Freedom Group has issued the following statement:—

Six more seats in the Bombay Municipal Corporation have fallen vacant owing to the detention without trial of six Congress members of the Corporation By-elections for these seats will be held on November 16th.

The following are the Congress candidates:—Mr. B. L. Borkar in Ward 11 (Mazagaon and Tadwadi). Mr. S. L. Salim in Ward 12 (Nagpada-Kamatipura), Mr. B. N. Maheshwari in Ward 16 (Matunga and Sion), Mr. T. R. Narvane in Ward 17 (Dadar-Mahim), Mr. I. Patel in Ward 18 (Parbhadevi-Worli) and Mr. Ashok Mehta in Ward 19 (Chinchpokli-Love Lane. Last month at the by-elections held the unseated Congress Councillors were elected with a thumping majority. May I appeal in all earnestness to the voters, among whom are a lot of Parsis to keep up the reputation of the city for equity and fairplay and elect candidates who have been unseated through no fault of their own.

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(From Our Correspondent)
NAGPUR, (By Mail).

An interesting comedy was enacted by mutilation in a telegram. A local Marwari firm received a telegram from Marwar to the following effect: "Mother died here." Naturally, the whole family was plunged in sorrow. All rites were performed including shaving of heads and moustaches. The son and the husband of the deceased went to Marwar to perform the final rites. When they reached the village bare and naked headed the villagers thought that someone of the family at Nagpur has died, and they also expressed their condolences. When they reached the house the family was surprised to see them coming without informing, and that too in that fashion.

They also started weeping. But, when the old mother came out of the house, they were taken aback.

On enquiry, they found that a telegram to the following effect was booked to Nagpur: —"Mother reached here". In the transmisston, the word 'reached' was mutilated into 'died'

Telegrams were sent to all the relations informing them about the incident, and cancelling the 'osar' invitation. The firm was put to a loss of about Rs. 5,000 in addition to mental and physical worries.

M.B., B.S. Exam. Results

The following candidates have passed the M. B., B. S. examination of the Bombay University held in October:—

PASS NOS.: 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9, 13, 15, 20, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 42, 46, 49, 51, 55, 58, 62, 63, 65, 66, 70, 71, 75, 76, 82, 83, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 101, 102, 106, 107, 108, 109, 111, 112, 114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 124, 126, 127, 129, 136, 138, 140, 141, 143.

BOTAWALA'S THANKS: Mr. A. U. Botawala, father of the well-known cricketer Yusuf whose untimely death has left a big gap in the sporting world, has issued a statement thanking the numerous friends who had sent him messages of condolences, and expressing his inability to acknowledge them individually.

SELECTIONS FOR TODAY'S RACES

'Moot Law' Greatly Fancied In Cup Event

(From Our Racing Correspondent)

Nine events have been framed for to-day's races but moderate fields are noticed.

The Mathradas Goculdas Cup is the chief event wherein the Kashmir-owned Moot Law is greatly fancied.

The following are my selections:—

1ST RACE: General MacArthur 1; Neelam 2; Our Jack F.
2ND RACE: Handley Cross 1; Star Of Sirohi 2; Philanthropist F.
3RD RACE: Neutrality 1; Boswell 2; Magic Maid F.
4TH RACE: Nirdosh 1; Star Brilliant 2; Akhu Amin F.
5TH RACE: Sweet Dream 1; Carlyon 2; Paragon F.
6TH RACE: Sabotage 1; Indication 2; Gold Gainer F.
7TH RACE: Moot Law 1; Lejong 2; Don't Shoot F.
8TH RACE: Mohalebbi 1; Alarm 2; Furore F.
9TH RACE: Dark Destiny 1; Royal Windsor 2; Clitheroe F.

DARK FLUKES.
Sunrich and Mohanmala.

MAN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION, DISCHARGED

Police State No Guilt Whatever Attaches To General Motors Foreman

Basil Mascarenhas, a foreman in the General Motors Ltd., who was arrested by the Bombay C.I.D. on October 5 on suspicion of being involved in a theft of motor accessories valued at Rs. 10,000, was discharged by Mr. Oscar Brown, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court, on Thursday, on an application made by the police.

The police in their application stated that no implication or guilt attached to the arrested person.

The Magistrate granted the application.

Munshi's Findings

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12.

It is now confirmed that Mr. K. M. Munshi interviewed H. E. the Viceroy yesterday.

According to talks among Assembly members, Mr. Munshi is credited with the intention of making efforts to resolve the political deadlock and came to Delhi to find out official reactions, firstly because of the change of the Viceroyalty and the need for united effort to meet the famine crisis, and secondly whether the possibility of Mr. Amery's exit from the India Office would mean any change in the policy so far as India is concerned.

Mr. Munshi's interview is considered significant in view of the forthcoming Governors' meeting with the Viceroy next week.

Political commentators however appear to be much reserved about the possibilities of a settlement and want to wait for a few months more before being optimistic about resolving the political deadlock.—United Press.

COMMISSIONER'S ROUND: Municipal Commissioner will meet the elected members of Ward No 9 at 6-51 a.m. (B.T.) at the Sandhurst Bridge East Side, (Opera House), and go round with them in the Ward.

BANDRA TALKIES
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BETTY GRABLE
VICTOR MATURE in
SONG OF THE ISLANDS
Technicolor Musical
Daily: 10 p.m.
STATION MASTER
SUNDAY MORN. 10-30 A.M.
THE SEA HAWK
Errol Flynn, Brenda Marshall

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MAHIM
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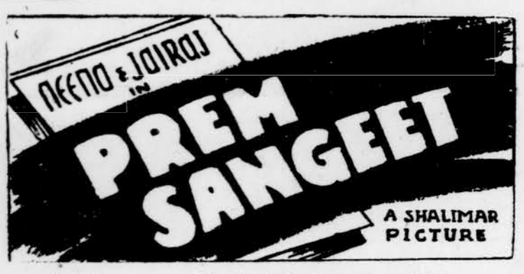

4th WEEK CAPITOL

Daily: 4, 7 & 10; Sat., Sun. Matinees at 1-0.

Advance Booking Open. (A DAWLAT RELEASE).

"VIDUR" RELEASED AT MAJESTIC

"Shehenshah Akbar" Coming Shortly

By T. V. P.

"Mahatma Vidur", Circo's production was released yesterday at Majestic in two versions Hindustani and Marathi. It unfolds the epic conflict between the Kauravas and Pandavas with special reference to the part played to avoid it by their uncle, Vidur. He was a born saint and devo-

Pralhad and Nayampali in 'Vidur' at Majestic.

tee of God, a believer in truth and non-violence. Pagnis has filled this role very ably and Durga Khote plays his sympathetic spouse. The original drama from the Mahabharata has been brought out very well on the screen.

"SHEHENSHAH AKBAR"

The life of the great Moghul Emperor, Akbar, who lent an imperishable glory to his career by cementing Hindu-Muslim unity, has been brought to the screen by Kamalroy Pictures in all its dramatic interest and royal splendour. The film will be shortly released at Novelty through Brij Diwan Ltd.

Vanamala in 'Akbar' shortly coming to Novelty.

The title role of "Shehenshah Akbar" is handled by Kumar, whose flair for delineating the majesty and dignity of Moghul Princes is well-known to all who have seen his work in such types of characters. Among other favourites in the cast are Vanmala, Husn Banu, K. N. Singh, Auzurie, Alaknanda and Rampyari.

"SAWAAL" CARRIES ON

With a month of successful run behind it, "Sawaal" has stabilised itself at Lamington where it bids fair to carry on for many weeks more. Drama, romance, comedy, music and dancing have all been brought to a high level of entertainment appeal in "Sawaal."

BACKGROUND FOR "POONJI"

The Pancholi film "Poonji" demonstrably leads the new releases at the box-office. Its popularity is due mainly to the comedy and songs in which it richly abounds. The base of this entertainment edifice is the scenario written by Producer Dalsukh Pancholi himself. It is a comedy scenario, but not foamy farce.

THIS STAR IS HIS PRODUCER'S FAN

Screen stars have their "fans" among the public, but it is rare for a star himself to be a "fan." It is given to Filmistan Producer S. Mukerji to have a fairly large fan-following. Every artiste who has worked in a Mukerji film, is a Mukerji "fan." Of these, Ashok Kumar is the foremost. Filmistan's "Chal Chal Re Nav-Javan" is his fifth picture under producer Mukerji, and Naseem who is co-starred with him is his fourth partner in the series.

Ashok Kumar in "Chal Chal Re Navjavan."

CITY AND SUBURBS

TO-DAY

Hindu: Kartak Vad 2, 2000
Muslim: Jilkad 14, 1362
Parsi: Khordad 10, 1313
Sunrise: 7-47 a.m., Sunset: 7-0 p.m.
Hightide: 0-38, 12-23, Lowtide: 6-40 18-36

To-day's Engagements

BOMBAY SPIRITUAL CENTRE: Talk on Jnaneshwari by Sri. D. V. Sabnis, at 5 p.m.

PAREL DISTRICT HINDU SABHA: Annual general meeting of Sabha for the year 1942-43 and general meeting of the newly elected body at Damodar Hall, Parel, at 8-30 and 9 p.m. respectively.

YOUTHS' PARLIAMENT: The public debate which was to be held today (Saturday) at the Youth Lodge, Blavatsky Lodge, has been postponed to next Saturday.

IDEAL MUSICO (Music Club): Concert of classical music by Shrimati Gangubai Hangal (Gandhari) of Hubli at 9-30 p.m. at Kittee Bhandari Hall, Gokhale Road, 'North', Dadar

YOUTHS' LIBRARY, DADAR: Symposium on "Is Modern Woman A Success" at Vanamali Hall at 5 p.m. when Lady Rama Rao will preside. Miss Sulabha Panandikar, Prof. Moulvi, Mr. Kavalekar and others will speak.

BOMBAY TENANTS' ASSOCIATION: Twelfth annual general meeting at Soman Building, Top Floor, Girgaon Road, (Opp. Kandewadi Naka) at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.)

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION: 20th annual general meeting at the Bazik's Counter (Reserve Bank Building) at 3-30 p.m.

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION BENGAL STARVATION RELIEF

Please send your contribution to the President, Ramakrishna Mission Ashram, Khar, Bombay. The Mission has been conducting relief operation not only in Calcutta and its suburbs but also in 17 other far off districts.

The total receipt upto 10th November Rs. 2,52,157-3-3.

to Mr. C. D. Deshmukh, C.I.E., for his appointment as Governor and to Messrs. C. R. Trevor and Washat Husain, C.I.E., the Deputy Governors of the Bank.

MATUNGA DIVISION CONGRESS MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE: Meeting of the election workers and volunteers for the Congress candidate, Mr. B. N. Maheswari at 9 p.m. at the Gujarathi Club, Matunga, near Aurora Cinema.

RAMAKRISHNA-VIVEKANANDA CENTRE: Swami Sambuddhananda's weekly class on 'Mundak Upanishad' at 5-30 p.m. at the Centre premises at 64, Portuguese Church Street, Dadar B.B & C.I. Rly.

FRIENDS OF SOVIET UNION: A fraternal meeting of the members and others who actively participated in the "25 Years of Soviet Power" exhibition will be held today at the Friends of the Soviet Union Office, 48, Benham Hall Lane, Girgaon at 7 p.m.

SRI RAMANA SATCHIDANANDA SAMAJ MATUNGA: The weekly study class on the writings of Shri Bhagwan Ramana Maharishigal of Tiruvannamalai, will be conducted on Sunday the 14th instant between 5 to 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the Samaj premises, Matunga.

RECEPTION TO ANDHRA ARTISTES

(From A Correspondent)

The part played by drama in the education and cultural progress of the people was stressed by the artistes of the Andhra Natya Sabha, Bezwada at a reception accorded to them by the Bombay Andhra Mahasabha on Tuesday last.

The group of artistes led by the well-known Bellamkonda, Pulipati and Miss Laxmirajyam along with other celebrities of the Adhra stage gave two Benefit Performances of Telugu Dramas in Bombay on the 6th and 7th in aid of the Andhra Education Society.

After light refreshments, the artistes entertained the audience with a fine variety of music.

Sir Shafaat In Bombay

Sir Shafaat Ahmed Khan, High Commissioner for India in South Africa, arrived in Bombay on Thursday

Chatterjee's Swimming Feat At Back Bay

Rabin Chatterjee, the well-known swimmer, will swim manacled five miles in six hours across the Back Bay at Chowpatty on Sunday, November 14. The swimming will commence at 3 p. m.

Mr. Chatterjee holds the world record in endurance swimming.

Vegetables And Flowers Show

A Vegetable and Flower Show has been organised by Mrs. K. M. Munshi which will be exhibited in the city some time in February next. The Hon. Raja Bahadur Govindlal Shivlal is the Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretaries are Messrs. E. A. Nadirsha, Hydraulic Engineer and Ahmed, the Municipal Gardens' Superintendent. Among the members of the Committee are also Mrs. Punjabi, Lady Masani and Dr. Mrs. Gilder. Mr. M. R. Masani, the Mayor will be requested to take up the Presidentship, while Mrs. K. M Munshi is the Chairman of the Committee.

VICEROY TO VISIT FRONTIER

PESHAWAR, Nov. 12

The "Associated Press" understands that the Viceroy will be visiting the N.W.F.P. in the near future.

Special Tribunal To Try Hurs

KARACHI, Nov. 12

The Government of Sind have constituted a special tribunal for the Sukkur district to try the cases under the Suppression of Hur Outrages Act.

Mr. G. G. Malkani, District and Sessions Judge, Sukkur, will be the sole member of the tribunal.

By another order, the Government have transferred to this tribunal the case against the alleged assailants of Mr. Allahabux, former Premier of Sind.—A. P.

Jayakar To Unveil Portrait Of Late Sir E. Raghavendra Rao

MADRAS, Nov. 12.

The Right Hon'ble Dr. M. R. Jayakar will arrive in Madras on 5th December to unveil the portrait of the late Dr. Sir E. Raghavendra Rao at the Chennapuri Andhra Mahasabha premises V. P. Hall, Madras, says the Secretary of the Sri Raghavendra Rao Memorial Committee in a communication to the Press. Sir M. Venkatasubbarao will preside on the occasion. —A. P.

"WAPAS" COMING SHORTLY

New Theatres "Wapas" featuring Bharati Devi with her dances is shortly coming to one of Bombay's theatres. It is directed by Hem Chunder who directed "Saugand." The musical direction is in charge of Boral.

Kardar's "Sanjog", a musical will also be released shortly.

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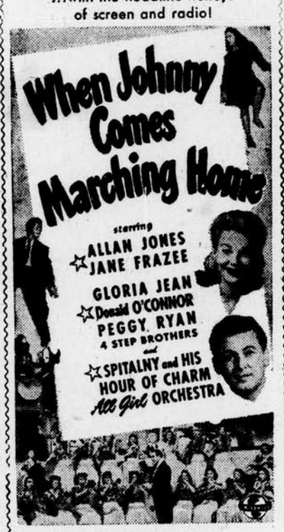

SUNDAY, 10-30 A.M.
"PARDON MY SARONG"
Bud ABBOT,
Lou COSTELLO

CAPITOL
SUNDAY, 10 A.M.
"LOUISIANA PURCHASE"
(in Technicolor)
Bob HOPE, Vera ZORINA

3RD TRIUMPHANT WEEK

EDWARD

KALBADEVI ROAD.
Daily at 3-30, 6-30 & 9-30 p.m.
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ASHOK KUMAR

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—"Sound".

"Fully maintains Bombay Talkies reputation".
"Weekly Show".

"Has lived upto the reputation of Devika Rani-Chakrabarty team".
—"Mirror".

"Devika Rani at her best".
—"Nawakal".

"Dances a feast for the eyes ..... music pleases the ears".
"Chitra".

"Devika Rani at her best... Chakrabarty Hits a new High"
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"Progressive theme. Superb Music".
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"Superb acting and melodious music".
—"Janmabhumi"

"Assured of brilliant long run."
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9-30—12 Noon.

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Sound: MINU KATRAK
Camera: D. DIVECHA
Story: MOHANLAL DAVE
Dialogues and Songs in Hindi by NAROTTAM VYAS
Songs in Marathi: RAJA BADHE
Editing: R. THITE
Settings: PALNITKAR
Music: BALI & KORGAONKAR

Co-starring:
PAGNIS and DURGA KHOTE
with Mr. and Mrs. Nayampally, Pralhad, Manohar Ghatwai, David, Yashodhara Katju, Sita Jhaveri, Vasant Pehelwan, Sandow Wagle, Vimal Sardesai, Baby Madhuri Sudha Amonkar.

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Daily Four Shows:
HINDI: 4 & 7 p.m.
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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, Nov. 12

The following is the weather chart showing the maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at 9 hours on 8-11-43:—

Allahabad 87 60 0; Bombay 94 75 0; Calcutta 88 63 0; Cawnpore 87 57 0; Cuttack 90 67 0; Darjeeling 64 45 0; Delni 87 57 0; Dehra Dun 80 51 0; Jacobabad 93 56 0; Karachi 86 69 0; Lahore 87 51 0; Lucknow 87 58 0; Madras 82 72 0.5; Nagpur 91 61 0; Patna 86 59 0; Peshawar 83 53 0; Shillong 72 48 0; Simla 65 48 0.—A.P.

"Swaraj is my birth-right and I will have it".

—TILAK.

The Bombay Chronicle

REMEDYING INFLATION

The Assembly debate on the stabilisation of prices in India was a tame affair and failed to emphasize the supreme importance of planned plentiful production, without which the present evils of inflation cannot be satisfactorily remedied. Explaining the present situation, the Finance Member said that what was happening was that goods and services for civilian consumption had grown scarce and the quantity of money had grown greater. The remedy, he said, was to try and reduce the amount of money in circulation by taxation and borrowing and at the same time as far as possible to increase the quantity of goods available for consumption or if that could not be done, to try and control the prices at which those goods were sold. We cannot accept the tacit assumption that more paper currency must necessarily be thrown into circulation at the present terrific rate. The payment by Britain for our war help may be made in gold or in essential goods for which shipping priority can and ought to be secured. Taxation, apart from its attendant evils, cannot adequately counteract inflation and borrowing in the present circumstances cannot be successful to the requisite extent. Even the control of prices, essential as it is, cannot by itself yield permanent benefit. The greatest emphasis must, therefore, be laid on production, more production and still more production.

Care must be taken, however, that the production is wisely planned. Much greater attention must be paid to the production of consumption goods for the civil population. Even the Finance Member agreed that "We had to attempt now, even to some extent at the expense of India's war effort, to switch back the productive sources of the country to meeting the consumers' demands." "We have reached a stage" he said, "at which, in order to maintain the war effort, it is necessary to cater for civilian requirements, otherwise civilian morale would undoubtedly suffer." Belated as it is, this is a profoundly admission. Even from the point of view of war, it is now necessary to pay more attention to the urgent needs of the civilian population. This has been done in England as a matter of course from the very commencement of the war, with the result that England is now said to be one of the best fed countries in the world.

In India it will be a great thing if hereafter at least the lessons of the past blunders and the consequent present horrors are ever borne in mind. Commending planned production from now on without waiting for the close of the war, Mr. Arthur Moore says in a press statement: "An unofficial National Planning Committee was formed with Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru as Chairman. Its work, which was regionally allocated, was interrupted when he and others were arrested, but the material collected is presumably still available. The Government of India might find it of some use to-day." The work came to a standstill because Government would not give Pundit Nehru the necessary facilities for continuing it in jail. But we agree that the materials collected will be very helpful. But we doubt if the prestige-ridden Government will take the hint.

The Lebanese Crisis

The crisis in the Lebanon has developed fast, so fast, indeed, that already French troops have been in action against the population, the Chamber has been dissolved and all the Lebanese Ministers as also the President himself have been arrested by French Imperial authorities. At the moment we do not propose to do more than point to two facts about the crisis. The first is the prompt and ill-concealed British effort, for instance, through Reuter's Diplomatic correspondent, to damn the demand of the Lebanese. This is very natural because the British Government under Mr. Churchill has already very generously and with logic typical of Imperialistic humbug accepted the special interests of France in the republics of Syria and the Lebanon. It is also natural because Mr. Churchill must support the "Empires" of his Allies in order to justify his own.

But the other fact is the vigorous protest addressed to General de Gaulle by Egypt's Premier, Nahas Pasha. This protest was preceded by a letter which Nahas Pasha wrote to the French Delegate in the Middle East. We will discuss the situation on another occasion, but here we must quote one extract from Nahas Pasha's letter because it effectively exposes the fundamental—and hypocritical—basis of European Imperialism in the Middle East:

"In my opinion the French mandate no longer exists since the French and British Governments have recognised the independence of Syria and Lebanon. They admitted that the League of Nations was no longer working and neiher Syria nor Lebanon could wait for the resurrection of the League under its original form to have a French decision approved."

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Amery Stays

Speculations in England and hopes entertained in some quarters in India have been falsified. Mr. Churchill has not effected any change as regards the India Office. This is really not surprising. Mr. Churchill is too much of a British imperial patriot to allow any damage to imperial prestige by removing Mr. Amery. Such yielding to critics would involve acceptance of their criticism of British imperialist administration. For this very reason, however, the retention of Mr. Amery at the India Office is significant as a clear hint that, so far as Mr. Churchill's Government is concerned, there is no intention of changing its policy of which Lord Linlithgow and Mr. Amery were such loyal and zealous instruments.

Churchill's Tory Design

But the actual changes are also significant though mainly for the people of Britain themselves. Lord Woolton, the Food Minister, has been promoted to Minister for Post-War Reconstruction and Sir William Jowitt, who was so far in charge of the question, is to assist him. Lord Woolton is also to be given a seat on the War Cabinet. The point about it is that the noble Lord is a Tory. Mr. Churchill has thus increased Tory representation in the War Cabinet. That is not all. The posts, which will be of vital importance in the period after the War both nationally and internationally, are nearly all held by Tories. This, together with the fact that the Ministership of Reconstruction was not given to Sir William Jowitt, who, being a Labour representative, might have been comparatively progressive, is a clear indication of the kind of policy which Mr. Churchill intends the British Government to pursue in the international, imperial and even domestic realms.

BOMBAY MILL WORKERS' DEMANDS

Mr. G. D. Ambekar, Secretary, Rastriya Girni Kamgar Sangh, Bombay, writes:—

The Textile Industry of India and especially of Bombay has prospered on the support of the general public. Had it not been for protection given to it by way of tariff, the industry would not have seen the present boom period. As such the Bombay industry owes a particular responsibility towards general public and the workers who have helped it prosper to the present level.

The Bombay millowners have effected open and surreptitious cuts during the last 15 years in the already low wages of workers and imposed the same on them, without regard to their just claims or for the public opinion. Absence of standardisation in wages has accentuated the loss and suffering of these workers. The Textile Labour Inquiry Committee recommended a standard, fair and suitable in the conditions existing on the eve of the war. But the Bombay Government have postponed this question to an indefinite future under one pretext or the other.

The outbreak of war and its prolongation have added to the miseries of the public and especidlly the worker. Whereas the Governments in independent and responsible countries like England and America have effectively limited the rise in prices to about 25 to 30 per cent, the Government of India have done nothing to check the rise which is now more than 200 per cent.

On the contrary the same war has created a boom in the industry and has profited the industrialist to an unprecedented extent. But the worker who has shared by his labour in the creation of wealth which brings such fabulous prices to the employer is not allowed an adequate share in the profits of the industry.

The existing low wages and at the same time an unprecedented boom period for the textile industry have made the introduction of standardization imperative as well as most opportune. To-day is the only time when standard can be introduced in the textile industry in Bombay without any trouble or difficulties, as it can be accompanied by increase in wages which has long been over-due.

The Rastriya Girni Kamgar Sangh in its meeting of the Board of Representatives held on 17th October, 1943 gave its serious consideration to the above situation and the conditions created by the war and has unanimously decided to present to the millowners four demands consisting of (1) increase in basic wages; (2) standardization of wages; (3) 4 months' full wages as Bonus; (4) weekly wages or suitable and adequate advances.

The Sangh proposes to proceed under the Bombay Industrial Disputes Act for these demands and is sending the properly signed intimation and preliminary request to the Government Labour Officer. The Sangh hopes that the Government will expedite the machinery under the Act and refer the whole question of the above four demands to the arbitration of the Industrial Court which is the only civilized method of settling the differences between the employers and employees, and that the Government will not put unnecessary obstacles in the way of justice to the poor workers.

JAPS CAPTURE CHIHKIANG

CHUNGKING, Nov. 12.

Three Japanese columns after a temporary check have resumed their advance with cover on the Yangtse river front and have captured Chihkiang on the south bank of the river between Ichang and Shashi.

Supporting the Chinese troops in this area, American fighter-bombers in a sweep over the Yangtse yesterday sunk three motor boats and 15 samtans and barges laden with supplies for the Japanese.—Reuter.

EX-MINISTER ON PAROLE

TANJORE, Nov. 12.

Mr. Gopal Reddy, ex-Minister has been released on parole for one month. He has left for Nellore last night.—Orient Press.

FOOD SITUATION IN GUJARAT

(By KHANDUBHAI K. DESAI, M.L.A.)

It is a known fact that as against only 25 to 30 per cent rise in the pre-war cost of living prices in England and America, in India we have to face the consequences of a rise of about 200 per cent. This abnormal rise has led to the distress in Bengal, Orissa, Cochin, Travancore and some areas of Madras Province. Government action is looked upon by people with distrust and suspicion. There is no clarification regarding the food policy of the Government and it is but natural that the people should be confused. Since rationing is to be introduced in Ahmedabad from 1st January, 1944, the question is of prime importance to the residents of Ahmedabad and the district. An attempt is made here to examine the vital questions involved in rationing in urban areas and its consequent effect on the rural parts.

The Delhi Conference decided to introduce rationing in all cities of the country and control prices of food-stuffs. As a result of this, all administrative units—Privinces, Districts and even Indian States—issued restrictive orders regarding transport of food from one place to another. In some cases, these orders apply even to talukas. In the absence of any clarification on the part of Government of their policy, it is difficult for the people to understand how these restrictions would help. Since preliminaries to introduction of rationing are afoot, it is natural that people feel anxious. Ahmedabad District produces less food-grains than the required quantity. People, therefore, inquire as to the fate of the villages when all food-stuffs are to be requisitioned to feed Ahmedabad.

COMPOSITION OF AHMEDABAD POPULATION

The population of Ahmedabad is about 14 lakhs—equally divided between the city of Ahmedabad and the remaining rural area. (According to the last Census, the city's population was about 6 lakhs, but since then there has been some increase due to prosperity in trade and the surplus of birth over deaths). It is estimated that 60 lakhs Bengali maunds of food-grains (wheat, rice, bajri and juwari) would be required to feed this population, but the Districts' total crops of these foodstuffs is only 36 lakhs Bengal maunds. If 10 per cent of the total yield is reserved for unforeseen contingencies, and adequate provision made for seeds for the next season, the remaining stock—about 30 lakhs maunds—would just suffice the needs of the seven lakhs population in the rural area. If any portion of this stock is requisitioned for the needs of the city, villages would suffer. People do not know what arrangements have been made to cover this deficit and are, therefore naturally led to believe that villages will be hard-hit, if the district is to supply food for the city. This leads us to the conclusion that to prevent starvation in rural areas, orders should be issued prohibiting purchases for the city from the district.

Ahmedabad is an industrial centre. People from various parts of India come to this city for employment. Of the seven lakhs of population, about 95,000 belong to Baroda State, 60,000 to Rajputana and Marwar, 60,000 to Western India States and Cutch, 35,000 to Kaira District, 35,000 to U.P. and 60,000 to other areas. More than half the population thus belongs to other areas. Ahmedabad produces about 30 per cent of the country's total mill cloth and supplies cloth to a large bulk of the country. It is but natural that provinces with surplus food should supply food to this city especially when Ahmedabad supplies their cloth requirements.

DIVIDE COUNTRY TO SELF-SUFFICIENCY ZONES

At present, each District Officer or the State lays down the policy or issues orders only regarding their own limited area. There is no uniformity or co-ordinating policy, and the result is chaos, distrust, and apprehension regarding future. The solution of this problem lies in dividing the country in self-sufficiency zones and co-ordinated uniform administration. The principal foodgrains should be sold at the same price throughout the country, to remove possibilities of black markets. People should be told how Government proposes to cover the deficit in scarcity areas like Ahmedabad, and in case of every rationed city or town. The rural areas should be assured that they will not have to suffer to feed the neighbouring town or city. The authorities should think of Gujarat including all the States of Kathiawar and Cutch as one unit, for the purpose of food supply, and have one common food administration for the area instead of multiple authorities administering diferentlly in their limited areas. Quite a large number of people especially those belonging to the neighbouring villages of the Baroda State and Kathiwar used to bring their requirements from their native places. This has now become impossible due to restriction by the States. Surplus food-grains are lying in some of these parts, and here in the city, people are anxious about the future. This has resulted from absence of co-ordination and a broad uniform policy.

From the above discussion the following conclusions are drawn: Gujarat should be treated as a single unit, thus facilitating transport from one area to another, prices of all food-grains throughout this area should be uniform, no purchases should be permitted from rural areas to feed a non-producing industrial area, and adequate stocks should be requisitioned for its needs from surplus areas. In this matter, Ahmedabad should be treated in the same manner as Bombay, i.e., Government should procure food for it from surplus Provinces of the country.

It is common knowledge that before introducing rationing in the city of Bombay, the Government procured requisite food-grains from the surplus areas in the country. If these requirements were requisitioned from Thana District or other neighbouring areas, one could well imagine the harrowing conditions that would have followed in its wake, in those rural areas. The city of Ahmedabad being the second biggest industrial and commercial city in the Province, one naturally looks to the example of Bombay in the matter of rationing. If a diderent policy is adopted in the procurement of food for Ahmedabad it will be a man-made calamity for the whole of Gujarat.

In conclusion, it has to be stated that if a National Government was functioning today, it would by its contact with the people, command their confidence and allay the misgivings and avert the great food crisis which faces the country today.

PLIGHT OF SECURITY PRISONER

(From Our Correspondent.)

JUBBULPORE, Nov. 9.

Mr. Vasudeva Rao Subhedar, M.L.A. (C.P.), who had been suffering from chronic bronchitis and other ailments for the last several months, has been removed from the central jail, Jubbulpore, where he had been detained as a security prisoner under D.I.R. 26, and admitted to the Victoria Hospital.

How India Helps American Troops

Roosevelt On Reverse Lend-Lease Aid

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.

President Roosevelt's message says that during the past summer the United Kingdom agreed to extend reverse "Lend Lease" aid to include not only goods, services and information for the armed forces, but also raw materials, commodities and food stuffs hitherto purchased for export in the United Kingdom and British colonies by or on behalf of United States Government agencies. "This plan will make available under reverse "Lend-Lease" and without payment such materials and food-stuffs as rubber from Ceylon, Trinidad, British Guiana and British Honduras; Sisal and pyrethrum from British East Africa; asbestos and chrome from Southern Rhodesia; Cocoa from British Western Africa; tea and cocoanut oil from Ceylon; and Benzol and tar acids from the United Kingdom.

While no official report has yet been received from the Government of India, our army reports total expenditures by India for reverse "Lend-Lease" aid of approximately 56,900,000 dollars divided as follows:—

Military stores and equipment 5,421,000 dollars, Transportation and Communication 3,161,000, petroleum products 13,127,000, construction 31,413,000, subsistence 3,778,000. Total 56,900,000.

We have received aviation gasoline, motor gasoline and lubricating oil and lesser amounts of other petroleum products from the Indian Government for use by the American forces. Part of the motor fuel has been used in a number of trucks and passenger cars given to our troops without payment as reverse "Lend-Lease" aid.

In addition United States army groups have been afforded postal, telegraph and telephone facilities, water and electric power, furnishings for buildings and items of clothing, including mosquito and gasproof outfits.

BRITAIN'S AID TO ALLIES

WESTMINSTER, Nov. 12.

Asked by Mr. Pethick Lawrence in the House of Commons whether he had any statement to make with regard to the publication of the particulars of the contribution made by Britain in the form of mutual aid to the Allies, the Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir John Anderson said: "I have to-day laid in a report on mutual aid and with the permission of the House, I shall make a brief statement on that paper.

The outstanding act of statesmanship of the President of the United States in the conception of "Lend-Lease" is known to all the world. Two and half years ago before the United States had entered this war this aid began to flow towards us. At that time, we stood alone, the sole fortress of democracy, and I think we may claim that the use we have made of the help from the Democratic Arsenal in the West has fulfilled one purpose of the "Lend-Lease" Act whose official title was 'act to promote the defence of the United States'.

Since then, the British Commonwealth has been joined by a great alliance. Russia joined us, the United States joined us, the French forces in North Africa joined us and countries under the invader's tyranny rallied their spirit are contributing every day to the common war. With this help, we have been able increasingly as time went on to follow the memorable example set by the United States and to develop the pooling of resources among all the Allies.

MUTUAL AID

Lend-Lease therefore had ceased to flow in one direction only. It has become a system of mutual aid. We ourselves are now furnishing huge supplies without payment and indeed without calculation to the United States, to Russia and to our European Allies. I believe that the vast extent of the mutual aid which we are furnishing is not understood in this country, far less abroad.

I have also taken the opportunity of this report to give some particulars of another aspect of our external financial burden the vast scale of which is liable to be overlooked. Over the whole area from Tunis to the frontiers of Burma, we are mainly responsible for very large cash outgoings to cover various local expenses of war which cannot be met by imported goods.

I hope the House will approve the principles of the paper and that public opinion will be enabled through its publication to do justice to the extent of our contribution."—Reuter.

Lease-Lend White Paper

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Up to the middle of this year, payments made by the United Kingdom to other members of the United Nations in excess of the sums received from them amounted to over 2,250 million sterling said a White Paper on Lease-Lend issued to-day.—Reuter.

Conference To Discuss Indian Women's Legal Status

Incorrect Appreciation Of Scriptures, Responsible For Their Disabilities, Says Jayakar

The four-day conference organised by the National Council of Women in India to discuss the legal status of Indian women commenced at the Convocation Hall on Friday evening.

The conference was inaugurated by the Rt. Hon. Dr. M. R. Jayakar. He also presided over the conference in the unavoidable absence of Mrs. Sarojini Naidu. Messages received from Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, Maharani Chimnabai of Baroda and many other well-known women workers all over the country wishing success to the conference were read on the occasion.

Mrs. Maneklal Premchand welcomed the delegates. Mrs. Malini Paranjpye offered a short resume of the work of the Council. Dr. Mrs. Sukhthankar read the report of the Legislation Committee.

Inaugurating the Conference Dr. Jayakar explained exhaustively several aspects of the problem of the legal status of Indian women, such as succession, inheritance, and marriage under Hindu Law. He praised the good work done by the Rao Committee, whose conclusions, he said, were not only correct but also in conformity with the spirit of the original law-giver. Dr. Jayakar further expressed the opinion that the defective translation of the laws in Sanskrit script was responsible for various legal disabilities suffered by Hindu women for centuries.

IN HINDU JOINT FAMILY

Proceeding the speaker explained the status of a woman in a joint Hindu family and referred to the Privy Council decision which accorded the right of adoption to Hindu women. The amending act in regard to the succession and property rights of Hindu women passed by the Indian Legislature in 1937, was, in the opinion of the speaker, very defective, its drafting being confused and chaotic. He wondered if the present Government preoccupied as it was with the war could do anything in the matter.

The whole trouble, according to Dr. Jayakar, centred round the fallacious belief festered by an incorrect appreciation of the scriptures that woman was incapable of independent action. According to Mithakshara, the great law-giver of the eleventh century, woman could acquire wealth and dispose it off as she willed but the Privy Council ruled that a woe-begotten India of the eleventh century could ever have had such a reformed doctrine and that woman had not had the right of absolute ownership of property.

PULLING IN DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS

Dr. Jayakar hoped that in the not too distant future India would have a simplified law governing marriages and inheritance. He was afraid that the Select Committee was making a mess of the whole thing because there were different forces pulling in different directions. There were Muslim members on the select committee dealing with the Hindu law reform; there were orthodox Hindus whose antagonism to the measure was unconcealed and there were socialist members whose idea of the subject was altogether different. The chances were that the bill would emerge in a most defective form. He said it should be a matter for deep consideration of the National Council of Women in India whether to have a defective measure passed now or whether to wait for some time more when the Legislature would be completely representative of the community.

Concluding Dr. Jayakar said that he was looking forward to the day when there would be one legislation for all the women of India, as, after all religion had little to do with property rights. Divorced from religion, a civil bill of property rights encompassing all the communities would be an ideal.

MRS. NAIDU'S MESSAGE

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu in the course of her message urged that the conference should urge for a complete and radical revision of the Hindu Law which she said was "outworn, unwieldly, too intricate and too rigid system that acts so frequently as a boulder of obstruction in the stream of modern progress."

PARDIWALLA'S ARREST ECHO

Two Adjournment Motions In Assembly

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12

Two adjournment motions have been tabled by Mr. Govind Deshmukh, one to discuss the arrest of Mr. Pardiwala, who was appearing for Mr. Jaiprakash Narain in the Lahore High Court, thus depriving Mr. Jaiprakash of legal help, and the second to discuss the treatment to which Mr. Jaiprakash is being subjected.

Interpellations

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12

Sir Edward Benthal, War Transport Member, informed Mr. K. C. Neogy during question hour in the Central Assembly to-day that details of plans for the conversion of the Kancharapara Workshops at the B. A. Railway to make them suitable for locomotive and boiler construction were under preparation. The necessity for a second plant on another site was under investigation.

MISBEHAVIOUR OF TROOPS

Sir Edward laid a statement giving details of incidents reported to the General Headquarters regarding the misbehaviour of troops at railway stations. Incidents were reported from Manmad, Sholapur and Poona, wherein British other ranks were concerned and from Sealdah, Dhanushkodi and Khandwa wherein Indian other ranks were concerned. In Bombay, a V.C.O. was involved and at Vizianagram, some soldiers were alleged to have stolen a number of books from a book stall. At Mailpatti Station, a clash occurred between the personnel of the 28th Travancore Labour Unit and certain vendors. All cases were reported to proper military authorities and action taken.—United Press.

DISABILITIES OF INDIANS IN U. S. A.

During question time in the Central Assembly, Mr. Govind Deshmukh asked for information about the disabilities and restrictions imposed on Indians in the United States and the recent proposal to exempt the Chinese from similar restrictions. Sir Sultan Ahmed said that the Government of India were not in possession of the exact details, but they understood that the common object of the legislation before the United States Congress in this connection was to lift existing restrictions on Chinese immigration and the acquisition of American citizenship by resident Chinese. The Agent-General for India lost no time in approaching the State Department as to the possibility of parity of treatment for Indian nationals, and his final report was awaited.

Municipal Finances

Schools Committee Criticised

The budget estimates for 1944-45 as prepared by the Municipal Commissioner came in for discussion before the Standing Committee of the Municipal Corporation on Friday. The Hon. Raja Bahadur Govindlal Shivlal, the Chairman of the Committee, speaking on the increased demand for the grant of the Schools Committee said, it has been always a nightmare with every Standing Committee which should not be interpreted as being unsympathetic, because neither the Standing Committee nor the Municipal Commissioner has been in any way disregardful of the importance of primary education as a nation-building department. But they all feel that Schools Committee being merely a spending Department and not being called upon to shoulder the responsibility of finding money for their activities do not adequately realise the difficulties of the Corporation in meeting their demands. Besides, it was the opinion of several sections of the Corporation that the money demanded or voted by the Corporation was not utilised to the best possible advantage. Then, the accounts of the Schools Committee and several irregularities have been the cause of some anxiety to the Standing Committee who are constrained to feel that all is not satisfactory in that important department of primary education.

Referring to the Property Tax imposed by Government, he said, that subsequent developments and the relaxation in the prohibition policy have resulted in definitely reducing the gap of the provincial income from excise, whereas the Provincial Government have not to that extent reduced the Urban Immovable Property Tax and released the taxable capacity for the Municipality. The Corporation would therefore be fully justified in asking for substantial grants for the past years out of the excess realised by the Government and also a reduction in the rate of the future or in lieu thereof percentage subsidy. He also urged the Committee to ask for a contribution from the Central Government for the maintenance of the roads as the vehicles of the Defence Service were causing more deterioration on roads than vehicles used for civil purposes.

BHATT ADVOCATES ECONOMY

Mr. M. M. Bhatt discussing the budget said:

"I would suggest to the Commissioner to consider the question of increasing the rate for water supplied to the Mills."

As regards expenditure, I only wish to make a sweeping remark and that is that our administration and supervision charges are very excessive. I cannot help saying that we get very little co-operation from the Executive in reducing our expenditure. I do not think I am going beyond the limits, if I humbly suggest that a Committee of Experts be appointed to go through the details of our expenditure and supervision charges and submit a report. I am sure, it will not be impracticable to make a 10 per cent reduction in the above charges.

POLAND

(CONTRIBUTED)

Poland that was reborn on 11th November 1918 was the continuation of the pre-partition state which had a cultural tradition of a thousand years. The reborn state, that come out of the ruins of the first World War had to build anew in every field of national life with three different systems of alien Governments, which were to be unified for the liberated country. She could not devote full twenty years to nation-building activities but even in that short period she gave visible proofs of her vitality.

Germany again was trying for European hegemony and world domination with the slogan of "Lebensraum". The idea of collective security having no sanctions behind it failed. Germany was allowed to acquire territories under the pretext of protecting German minorities from the succession states of the lands of Hohenzollerns and Hapsburgs, with the connivance of the very powers who had taken up arms in 1914 to check their powerful alliance. When she came with the same demand to Poland she did not acquiesce but offered resistance.

Poland accepted the German challenge in 1939 with partially mobilised and un-equipped forces and put a heroic stand that gave time for Great Britain to prepare, delaying the German offensive in the West for nine months. Since then Poland has been fighting for her liberation and the liberation of the Continent of Europe and the world from the anti-democratic Axis Powers. With the newly created forces under the leadership of late General Sikorski, her army, navy and airforce have taken part in many engagements and won admiration of the United Nations. Poland did not sign a treaty of defeat nor did she provide a Quisling to rule her in the name of her people. She is again in ruins, her people suffering under the German occupation, unyielding and waiting for victory. Poland looks forward to a hopeful future of co-operation with her neighbours in the post-war reconstruction of Europe. She comes with a rich spiritual heritage in literature, art, music, and science. The nation that has given Reymont, Chopin, Paderewski, and Curie Sklodowska, believing in the words of her educationist Stanislaw Staszic that "Even a great nation may fail, but only a worthless one can perish" is eagerly waiting to take her right place in the brotherhood of nations.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT

ATLANTIC CITY (New Jersey), November 10: Delegates from 44 United Nations gathered here to-day to plan the first practical moves for post-war international co-operation. India's delegation is headed by Sir Girja Shankar Bajpai.....

Despite the expressed hopes of some delegates, it was learned authoritatively here to-night that the famine in India will not be considered by the Conference

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"Amery Refuses To Budge" said a headline in yesterday morning's paper.

And it was true, too, both in prospect and in retrospect.

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Mr. Churchill, Reuter says, has decided to make no change for the present at the India Office.

Mr. Amery, that is, holds on to what is his own on behalf of Mr. Churchill.

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It now appears that the British Premier didn't mean what he said at the Mansion House. Or if he did his mistake has been corrected and his actual meaning authoritatively interpreted for him.

An Anglo-Indian contemporary has just announced that "when Mr Churchill says that he has no desire to liquidate the Commonwealth (sic) he means that the initiative for breaking it up will not come from him."

The Premier might perhaps feel like protesting that he never mentioned "the Commonwealth" in that connection and never meant to do so. But he ought also to feel grateful for this Anglo-Indian officiousness.

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Senator Chandler reveals that some time ago Mr Churchill suggested, in a private conversation, "possibilities of a dual citizenship between Britain and the United States."

He did it publicly, too, later, but he would probably repudiate it now that he has been so widely—er—er—misunderstood.

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The President, Premier and all but one Minister of the Lebanon Republic(!) have been arrested by French troops and taken to unknown destinations.

The French, too, mean to hold what is their's—until, of course, some Anglo-Indian interpretor of their actions comes out with a solemn assurance that they neither say nor intend what they do say or intend and this assurance must be insisted upon even though the French protest.

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"At the appropriate moment, there will begin in South-eastern Asia, a series of operations of absorbing interest....."

—Sir Robert Craigie, former Br. Ambassador in Tokyo.

The operative emphasis is not on "operations" but on "the appropriate moment".

INDIVIDUAL RATION CARDS

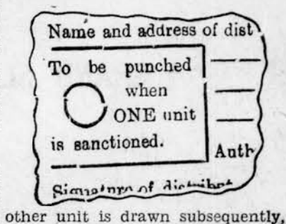
Here are a few points about your Individual Ration Cards which will replace the current family ration cards on their expiry.

A punched card means it is a child's card with only one unit.

In the individual ration card there is a column against each rationed article and the columns are divided into squares for each week.

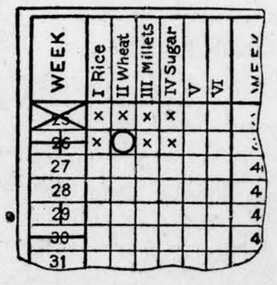
You can spread your purchases on the cards over the whole ration week by using the card of one family member on one day and that of another on a subsequent day.

Each adult card which contains two units can again be used on two occasions during a ration week for one unit each time. That is to say on each of the two occasions the adult card will be treated as a one-unit card and commodities would be drawable as on a one unit card. A child's card can be used only once.



When you draw one unit or less, a vertical line will be drawn in the square bearing the number of the week concerned. When the other unit is drawn subsequently, a horizontal line will be drawn making a sign of plus and thereby denoting that the week has been completed.

When both the units are drawn or more than one unit, the square of the week will be crossed with two diagonal lines making a sign of multiplication. No more can be drawn for this week thereafter.



In the squares against the commodities purchased, small crosses will be drawn and squares against those not purchased at all will be left blank and the ration card holder should draw a circle over them after the ration week is over.

See that your shop-keeper crosses the weeks correctly. Insist on his giving you a cash memo for each transaction, that is, not for each card but for each occasion when you use your family ration cards.

When a family splits or a servant leaves, the persons thus leaving should carry their individual ration cards with them. The change of address and of house-holder should be reported to the Rationing Office of the Ward where the person has gone to reside.

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CITY MARKETS

Bombay, Nov 11.

SHARES: The Stock Exchange was quiet to-day with scattered selling. The market was dull and operators are holding aloof. Tata Steel Dfd. Shares were quoted at Rs. 1,882 and Ordinary Shares were quoted at Rs. 391, Bombay Dyeings were placed at Rs. 1,930, Kohinoor Shares were quoted at Rs. 627 and Century Shares were done at Rs. 933, Associated Cements stood at Rs. 217-8

TEXTILE SECTION: Ahmed. Advance 492-8, Apollo 5-10, Bharat Mills 83-12, Bom. Dyeing 1921-8, Cent. India 460, Century 928, Colaba 241, Dawn 1640, E.D. Ordy 20-2, do Fefd 3-15, Edward Sassoon 735, Elphinstone 88, Finlay 331, Gokak 340, Hindustan 4100, Ind. Bleaching 233, Indore Malwa 1165, Ind. Manfg 4100 Khatau xd 442, Kohinoor 617, Lakshmi 1740, Madhowji 27-12, Minerva 228-12, Model Nagpur 346-8, Morarji 802-8, Madhusudan 553-12, Meyer Sassoon 217, Mysore xd. 272-8, New City 408-12, New Great 423, Phoenix 702-8, Podar Mills 385, Sassoon Spg. 30-12, do Silk 102-8 Sholapur 8810, Shri Nivas 417-8, Simplex 276, Swadeshi 608, Swan 305, Tata Mills 75-8 Vishnu 2655, Western India 3435.

INSURANCE SEC.: Bom. Life 207, Empire Life 806-4, Oriental 6050, Indust. & Prudent 38, Ind. Mercantile 92-12, Jupiter 28-2, New India 78, Vulcan 17-12.

HYDRO & ELEC. SECTION: Ahmedabad Elec 192-14, Ajmere 14-4, And. Valley Ord. xd 1837-8, Bom. Suburban Bom. Tram Ord. xd. 159-4, Broach 13-10, Karachi 261-4, Poona 300-4, Surat 195-4, do New Rs. 50/Pd 70, Tata Hydro Ord xd. 198, Tata Power Ord. 1842-8.

BANK SECTION: Baroda Bank 138, Bank of India 199 Central Bank xd 85-8 Imp. P.P. 1895, do P. P 468-12, Reserve Bank 129-12, Union Bank 9-10, Habib Bank 86-8, Dena Invest 28.

PREF. SHARES: 7 per cent And. Valley xd 1720, 6 per cent Bom. Steamer 347-8, 7 per cent Bom. Tram 81 6 per cent Cent India 728-12, 6-1/2 per cent Jupiter 19-12, 6-1/2 per cent Surat 193-12, 6-1/4 per cent Prem. Const. 1st. 136, 6-1/4 per cent do 2nd 135, 6 per cent Tata I. & S. 1st 222 7-1/2 per cent Tata 2nd 155, 7 per cent do Hydro 173-12, 7-1/2 per cent do Power 1770 7 per cent Vishnu 785.

DEBENTURES: 4 per cent And. Valley 106, 4 per cent Tata Chem 2x0. 4 per cent Tata Power 108, 6 per cent Marsland Price 121.

RAILWAY SEC: Ahmed. Prantej 847-8, Dhond Baramati 118, Cent. Prov. 108, Guzerat 97, Hoshiarpur Doab 106, Mancra Bhon 103, Mymensing Reb. 105 do Gtd. 104, Sara Sirajganj 105, Sialkot Narowal 125-4, do New 60, Upper Sind Lt 116.

MIS GROUP: Alembic Chem. 341-4 Alcock Ashdown 557-8, Asso. Cement 218, B.B Petrol 3-1/2, Bom. Burma old 425, do New 154-2, Bombay Steam 657-8 Belapur 260-8, Invest. Trust 61-8, Prem. Const. 201-8, Port Canning 105, Radio Ord 501-4, do Def. 481-4, Scindia 35-11, Shivrajpur 72-8, Tata Ordy 391-8, Tata Defd. 1875 Tata Chem 33, Tata Oil 82, Wimco 318-12 B I C 6-7, Burma Corp 3-11 Ind Copper 2-9-1/2, do Iron 35-12, Steel Corp. 27, New Vict. Ord 9-15, Hindusthan Com. 64-12 United Com. Bank 73-8, Elphinstone Pref 195, Bradbury Ord. 360-12 do Pref. 552, Dharamsi Chem. 66-8.

GOVT. SECURITIES: 2-3/4 per cent 1948-52 Loan 99-12, 3-1/2 per cent G P Note 97-4 1/2, 3 per cent 1946 Def. Loan 102-5, 3 per cent 1949-52 do 100-9, 3 per cent 1951-54 do 100-2 3 per cent 1963-65 Loan 98-3, 4-1/2 cent 1955-60 Loan 115-8, 3-1/2 per cent 1947-50 Loan 103-7, 4 per cent 1960-70, Loan 111-14, 3 per cent 1953-55 Def. 100-12.

CORP. DEBENTURES: 4 per cent B P T 1974 113, 5 per cent M. Deb 1959 121, 4 per cent M. Deb. 1974 113 6 per cent do 1954 130, 6 per cent K P T 1956 134.

TAXFREE LOANS: 5 per cent 1945-55 Loan 106-4, 4 per cent Mysore 1953-63 123, 5 per cent 1955 134.

BULLION: Yesterday London Gold was unchanged at £8-8-0 Dollar Sterling Cross Rate was 4.02-1/2 to 4.03-1/2 and Spot as well as Forward Silver quotations were unchanged at 23-1/2d. The local market was steady to-day after yesterday's sharp decline. To-day being Friday no sales of Gold were reported from special quarters. Gold opened at Rs. 76-4 and after declining to Rs. 75-14 rallied to Rs. 76-4 while Silver was quoted at Rs. 120-4. The improvement is mostly of reactionary nature and it is not advisable to follow it.

There was increased selling pressure and with Gold and Silver prices declined to Rs. 74-12 and Rs. 118 respectively. Toward the close there was renewed support and quotations improved. Ready Gold Rs. 76-6, delivery Rs. 75-10 Ready Silver Rs. 120-4 and delivery Rs. 119.

COTTON: The cotton market was expected to open at Rs 453 for January delivery but prices opened at Rs. 454 and declined to Rs. 451-8. The market remains narrow with a restricted business and buyers seem less confident cotton prices at present level are very attractive but buyers believe that when hedge selling appears, it will be difficult to maintain price structure as outside participation is very small and professional operators find it difficult to play freely their usual in and out game. The market is working under new restrictions and they are purely of an experimental nature.

Later on further weakness in gold induced increased selling and January declined to Rs. 449. Towards the close there was scattered support and the market closed at 6 p.m. as under:—

	Rs.	a.	p.
I. C. C. Jan	451	8	0
" Mar.	453	8	0
" May	459	8	0

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, Nov. 12.

Tata Steel Ord. (393) 393 93/8 91/8 92 90/8 91/8, Tata Steel Dfd. (1886/4) 1890 92 80 82 75 66 70 75, Dyeing (1927/8) 1931 36 26 32 16 21/4, Century (935) 937 35 40 33 35 26 28. Kohinoor (626) 628 26 29 26 28 22 17, Swadesh (608) 610 11 8 10 4 6 1 5 8, Nagpur (461) 462 61 64 62 63 59 60/8, Simplex (278) 278 77 76, New Great (425) 424 25 23 Gokak (340) 344 38 40, Cement (218) 218 17 18/12 17/12 18.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 for the week ended the 5th day of November, 1943.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES:—

Notes held in the Banking Department 9,42,68,000, Notes in circulation 790,62,18,000 Total Notes issued 800,-04,86,000. Ratio of total of A to Liabilities: 91.151 per cent.

ASSETS:—

A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—

(a) Held in India 44,41,43,000 Sterling Securities 684,83,96,000, Total of A 729,25,39,000, B. Rupee Coin 12,46,91,000 Government of India Rupee Securities 58,32,56,000. Total Assets 800,04,86,000.

Jinnah Pleased With League's Success

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12.

"I was very pleased to hear the success of the Muslim League candidate in Sind in the recent by-election", observed Mr. Jinnah on the news of the latest by-election. He added: "I am equally pleased that the League candidate has been returned without contest to the Bengal Legislature. This is one more proof of the solidarity and the growing strength of the League. I congratulated both Sind and Bengal on their successes."—Orient Press.

YARN MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 10.

The Yarn Market has not been able to maintain the demand that had come forward in some markets during Divali time. After the Muhurat business demand has again eased but though the volume of business is not so great as during Divali time, the market has not fallen into depressed conditions. There is some demand for certain qualities of Indian yarns in the local market and the undertone of the market is good. Prices have ceased to decline further and in certain qualities they have also shown a tendency to improve a little. There is particular demand in the local market for certain qualities such as 6-1/2s, 8-1/2s, 10-1/2s and 12-1/2s and prices for these qualities have shown a little improvement. It is expected that with the announcement of revised ceiling prices by the Government on the 15th November demand will show some further improvement. Reports from the up-country markets show a fairly good demand there and prices have been steady during the week. In these markets also there has been a special demand for the above mentioned qualities of Indian yarns. There is a fairly good demand for woollen and fine count yarns also in some of the up-country centres. Recently there has been a revival of demand for cloth in these centres and consequently there has been an improvement in the demand for yarn by the handloom weavers. Reports from the Southern markets show that demand there has not been active at all and prices have remained steady. There is no improvement in demand in the Eastern markets where on account of the difficulties of obtaining booking facilities the market continues to remain dull. Thus there has been some demand for Indian yarns in certain markets during the week and the undertone of the market is good. Except in certain up-country centres demand for fine count yarns is very poor though prices have remained steady during the week. There has been very little demand for foreign yarns and prices for certain qualities declined during the week. There are some enquiries from the export markets but a limited amount of business is done on account of the difficulties of licence and quotas.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

CALCUTTA, Nov. 12.

The market continued firm, the best features being coals, cottons, teas and sugars. The volume of business was satisfactory. Government securities were unchanged.

Delhi Speculations About Detenus'

(From Our Correspondent.)

NEW DELHI, Nov. 12.

The recent Federal Court judgements vis-a-vis detenus have been under close examination the authorities here.

One view is that by provision under Defence of India Rules for indefinite detention without appeal is too drastic and contrary to British conception of rule of law.

Lobby circles believe Government is likely to modify such provision with a view to give facilities to detenus for right of appeal. Similarly the period of detention under Defence of India Rules is likely to be limited. It is pointed out that Government already possess powers under the regulations to indefinitely detain persons, if it is so desired.

It is also learned that the decision to allow interviews with Congress detenus, including members of the Congress Working Committee has been left with the Provinces.

The Half-Column "By Dim"

What might have been regarded as a "diplomatic incident" in the days of the Willingdons was just a matter of amusement to the Colvilles. when Olga Craen came to the theatre ten minutes later than the Governor at the Remembrance Recital on Thursday evening But Olga Craen gave a delightful performance which made even Sir John Colville forget the cares of office and applaud for more. Half way through the show he even pushed away the silly piece of RED cloth that obstructed his view. Red cloth, carpet, or tape have no place in these times, Sir John Colville seemed to say. Abu M. Jasdanwalla looked very bewildered. It was his first concert, but I think after hearing it he was in a position to issue a statement saying that he preferred the "Aledagio lente lentissimo" to the "Allegro forte fortissimo". In any case Abu told me that he thought the "pocco Musso" had not three-bar movement of the "pocco Bodaglio".

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The stage decoration was very well thought out. The programmes were neat—though where did all that paper come from? And Aileen Karanjia had done a good job well. Shows like these are pleasant to attend in contrast to others I have recently written about.

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Mr. Yeh Chien-Yu, the well-known Chinese artist and cartoonist, who was head of the Graphic Arts Section of the Political Department in Hankow and has done some striking war posters and drawings, will exhibit his sketches and paintings at the "Silverfish" to-day, Saturday from 6 p.m. to 8-30 p.m. and possibly on Sunday also from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Yeh's pictures deal largely with life in Chungking and in Japanese-occupied Hongkong where, incidentally, he was at the time of the Japanese attack. His wife, I am told, is also a well-known ballet dancer—Ai-Lien Tai, who is now in Chungking. The exhibition is open to the public.

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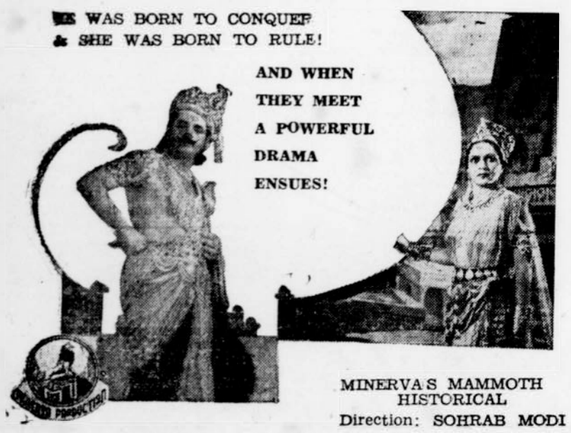

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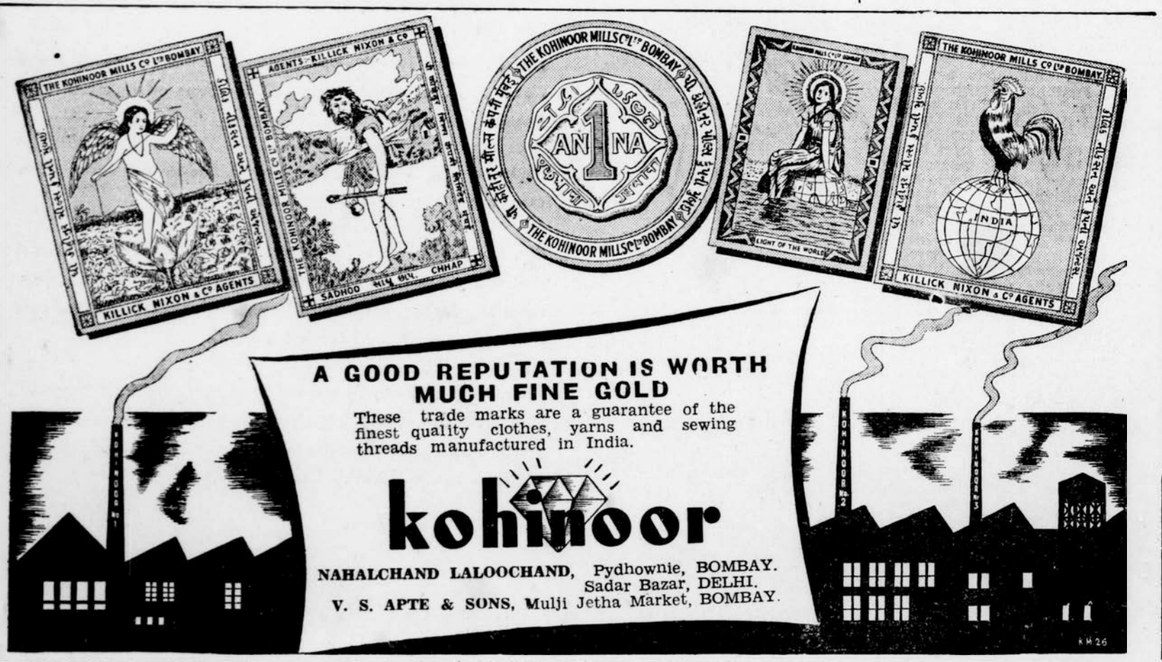
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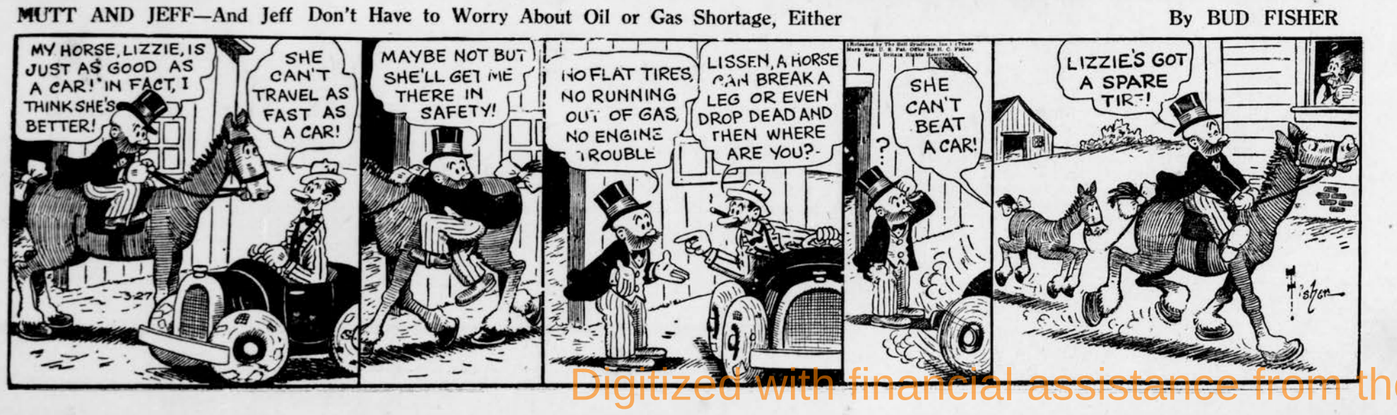
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H. C. CAPTAIN,
Managing Director.
Bombay 13th November, 1943.
(3223)

NOTICE

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For the Rajasthan Construction Co., Ltd.,
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Before you finally buy New American Radios dial 33466. We give you back in value what you give us in cash. Choice Radios, Opera House. (6655)

Capitol Cinema on Abbott Road, Lahore, destroyed by fire last year is being reconstructed. Parties interested in long lease may communicate with Krishan Lall Malhotra, 18, Abbott Road, Lahore. (3187)

653. MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

Wanted Tape Newar and Ordinary Cotton Looms. New or reconditioned. Write immediately to Box No. 3196, "Bombay Chronicle."

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Wanted:—New or second hand Oil Expellers. Apply to The Agra Oil Mills, Post Elmadpur Distt., Agra. (3197)

632. MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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For Sale. Toilet Papers of American Tissue. Packing 250 packets of 200 sheets. Best offers invited. Apply Box No. 3183, "Bombay Chronicle."

For Sale. Dental Cream of Best quality. Offers invited. Apply Box No. 3184, "Bombay Chronicle."

Lease Lend Radios for suburbs. See: C. H. Jhatakia, Mistry Cottage 11th Road, Santa-Cruz, East. (3162)

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the supply of 2,000 gross of new and/or second hand white glass round WHISKY SHAPE quarts and 20,000 Dealwood cases to the Government Central Distillery, Nasik Road for one year commencing from 1st December 1943.

2. With the empty quarts, taper corks of superior quality should be supplied free of cost. Inferior corks will not be accepted. Samples of quart bottles and corks should be sent along with the tender quotations.

3. Details regarding the capacity and shape of bottles and corks and cases and the conditions of supply may be obtained from the Office of the Commissioner of Excise, Bombay on payment of Rs. 2 per set.

4. The tender should be submitted so as to reach the Commissioner of Excise not later than 12 noon (Standard Time) on 29th November 1943.

E. G. TAYLOR.
Commissioner of Excise.
Old Custom House, Bombay.
6789

INDUSTRIES DEPARTMENT

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the temporary posts of Inspectors of Weights and Measures, Department of Industries, Bombay.

PAY:—The scale of pay is Rs. 100-5/2-150.

QUALIFICATIONS:—The minimum educational qualification required is (a) a degree of a recognised University in Engineering (Mechanical or Electrical), or in Physics, and any other Science subject; or (b) a first or second class diploma (L.M.E. or L.E.E.) of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay or the College of Engineering, Poona, or the N.E.D. College of Engineering, Karachi, or the Kala Bhavan Technical Institute, Baroda, in Electrical Engineering or and Mechanical Engineering; (c) two years' practical workshop experience especially in connection with verification and stamping of weights and measures; (d) ability to speak, read and write at least one regional language of this Province; and (e) ordinarily be not more than 25 years of age.

Candidates with engineering qualifications will be preferred.

Applications should be complete with evidence as to age, language known, place of birth, caste and any educational qualifications with particulars of experience, domicile, etc.

Applications should be sent by Registered Post to the Director of Industries, Bombay, and must reach him on or before the 30th November, 1943.

Canvassing for appointment in any form will be a disqualification.

Applicants who may be called for interview at Bombay will have to come at their own expense.

P. B. ADVANI,
Director of Industries.
Old Custom House Yard, Fort,
Bombay, 9th November, 1943.
(6769)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND CIVIL SUPPLIES

IN ACCORDANCE with rules under Section 8 of the Factories (Control of Dismantling) Ordinance 1943, published in the Gazette of India Notification No. F. 70-ID (40)43 (III) dated the 6th November 1943, applications for written permission to dismantle any factory or remove from a factory spare parts kept for maintaining the machinery of the factory in order should be made to (1) The Textile Commissioner, Bombay, in relation to factories manufacturing cotton textile goods and (2) The Controller General Civil Supplies, New Delhi in all other cases, stating the following particulars!

(1) Name and address of the factory which it is desired to dismantle or from which it is desired to remove spare parts,
(ii) Products manufactured in the factory,
(iii) Details of the machinery concerned,
(iv) Place to which it is proposed to move the machinery or spare parts,
(v) Full reasons for making the applications, and
(vi) Such further particulars as the sanctioning authority may require.

The Rules also provide that if the above sanctioning authority rejects the application, the applicant may, within 30 days from receipt of the order of rejection, present an appeal to the Central Government addressed to the Secretary, Industries and Civil Supplies Department, New Delhi. The Orders of the Central Government on such an appeal shall be final.

R. B. ELWIN,
Deputy Secretary to the
Government of India.
(6779)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the business which had been jointly carried on by Messrs. C. J. Dubash and P. J. Dubash has been terminated and pursuant to the Consent Decree, dated 13th October, 1943, in Suit No. 155 of 1940 our client Mr. C. J. Dubash has alone become absolutely entitled to the properties known as "Shirin Talkies" and "Jamshed Building" and all other assets and outstandings of the said business and is liable for the debts thereof.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1943.

KANGA & CO.,
Attorneys for Mr. C. J.
Dubash.
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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for temporary posts of Price Inspectors in the scale of Rs. 100-5-125 plus conveyance allowance of Rs. 12/8 per mensem.

QUALIFICATIONS: Candidates should have practical experience of not less than 5 years in the textile trade. They should be able to find out the particulars of fabrics and estimate the approximate cost of the same. Candidates who have completed a textile course in any recognised institution will be preferred.

AGE LIMIT:—30 years.

Applications should be sent with particulars of age, domicile, place of birth, languages known, caste and experience to the DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES, OLD CUSTOM HOUSE YARD, BOMBAY on or before 26th November, 1943.

Applicants who may be called for interview in Bombay will have to come at their own expense.

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NOTICE

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Superintendent, Technical School from qualified candidates. The pay of the post is upto Rs. 100/- P.M. Service pensionable. The selected candidate will be appointed on probation for one year in the first instance. Apply stating age, Experience, Qualifications and with copies of Testimonials to The CHIEF EDUCATIONAL OFFICER, JUNAGADH STATE, JUNAGADH before 1st December, 1943.

(6757)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that SHAMJI PREMJI, VELJI GANGJI and CHOTALAL DEVJI, all of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

ALL persons having any claim against the said property of any nature whatsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Alli Chambers, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived or abandoned.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that land of Quit and ground rent tenure with a building standing thereon, situate at Dariasthan Road, without the Fort and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing 161.24 square yards or thereabouts and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 6727 and New Survey No. 2212 and assessed by the Municipality under Ward B No. 1705, Street Nos. 28-30 and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 810 of Mandvi Division and bounded on the North by a gully on the East by Dariasthan Road, on the South by a common passage and on the West by a gully.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1943.

DABHOLKAR & JESHTARAM.
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. ARDESHIR DADABHAI BARIA, RUSTOMJEE DADDABHAI BARIA and Dr. DARASHAH MANECKJEE MEHTA, the Trustees of an Indenture of Trust, bearing date the 30th day of October, 1922 and made between Dadabhai Dajibhai Baria of the one part and the said Dadabhai Dajibhai Baria, Ardeshir Dadabhai Baria and Rustomjee Dadabhai Baria of the other part have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Jehangir Wadia Building, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, and to the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claims and the same if any will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land or ground of the Quit and Ground Rent Tenure now redeemed, situate at the junction of Abdul Rehman Street and Kolsa Cross Lane and containing by admeasurement according to the title-deeds about 634 square yards and according to the Cadastral Survey Register 561 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 591 to 596, under New Nos. 7824, 7825, 7826, 7828 and 7827, under New Survey Nos. Part of 1274, 1275, 1276, 1/1277 and 2/1277 and Cadastral Survey No. 1277 of Mandvi Division, together with the building standing thereon and which premises are bounded, on the East by a halalkhore's passage and beyond that by the property of late Suleman Haji Adam, on the West by Abdul Rehman Street, on the North by Kolsa Cross Lane, and on the South partly by a halalkhore's passage, and partly by the property of Bhulal Chhotalal and partly by the property of Bhaichand Laxmidas, and are assessed by the Bombay Municipality under 3 B Ward No. 96, 974 to 978, and Street Nos. 7 to 17 and 9 to 17.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1943.

MULLA & MULLA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Public that HARI PARSHURAM JAMBURE and Bai PARVATIBAI, widow of Parshuram Abaji Jambure have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client free from encumbrances.

All persons having any claim in, to, or against the said property either by way of inheritance, mortgage, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office No. 66, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to any such claim, and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

ALL that piece or parcel of land of the Quit and ground rent tenure, containing by admeasurement 172 square yards or thereabouts and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old Nos. 1702, 1705, Collector's New No. 8826, Old Survey Nos. 479, 480 and New Survey No. 5225 and Cadastral Survey No. 3073 of Bhuleshwar Division together with the messuage tenements or dwelling house standing thereon assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under C Ward No. 6566 and Street No. 11 all which premises are situate at and on the South side of 1st Carpenter Street in the City and Registration District of Bombay and are bounded, on or towards the East by the property formerly of Mohandas Kamalsey, on or towards the West by the property of Bhagwant Vinayak, on or towards the North by the said 1st Carpenter Street and on or towards the South by the Sweeper's passage and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the Vendor.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1943.

Messrs. MAHIMTURA & COMPANY.
Solicitors,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(6780)

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION SALE TO-MORROW SUNDAY at 10-30 A.M. (S.T.) Property of a European gentleman J. Cooper and others at Babulal Mansion, Chowpatty Sea Face, of complete household and office furniture, Allwyn steel almirahs, Remington standard and Remington portable typewriter, Singer machine, Elec. table fan, Godrej, and other fire proof safes, dining table, chairs, sideboard, cabinet, zula sofa cabinet, writing tables, dressing tables, chesterfield sets, almirahs, bed with box mattress, etc. T. N. 40213.

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For further Particulars apply to Messrs. Ambubhai & Diwanji, Attorneys for Receiver, or to Undersigned.

GANDHI & CO.

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GRAND AUCTION SALE of Precious Diamond, Emerald, Pearl and Ruby Jewellery to-morrow Sunday at 10-30 a.m. at "Chateau Windsor", Churchgate Reclamation, opp. Cricket Club of India. By order of Seth P. K. Banker and on account and risk of S. V. Shah. On view. M. MODY & CO., Auctioneers.

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C. P.: The Commissioner, Nagpur Division, (Chairman, Divisional Committee), Nagpur.

PANTH PIPLODA: Secretary, Provincial Selection Board, Indore.

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